

23 April 2021

2021 APT APC REPEAT PROGRAMME

On Line Zoom Launch: 30 April 2021: 16:00 – 17:30

Register in advance for this Webinar:

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_opu7tUPrSvSD2FN9g3f1iQ

We at APT were very sorry to hear that you have been unable to demonstrate competence in the SAICA 2020 Assessment of Professional Competence (APC). The effect of the pandemic in 2020 was profound and we have no doubt that this has played a very significant role in the decline of the national SAICA pass rate. We share your disappointment as we know just how hard you worked to overcome the challenges of 2020, but we need to remain positive and focussed on overcoming this final hurdle.

“Success never lasts, failure is never fatal.... courage is the only thing that counts” Winston Churchill

You are not the first person to have failed to demonstrate competence in the “Final Board Exam”. There are literally thousands of CAs who have experienced this failure, re written, passed the assessment and gone on to become highly successful CAs. You must not let the outcome of one 8 hour assessment define your future. History has shown that repeat candidates can with commitment and hard work, achieve Honours on their second attempt.

You need to believe in yourself and your abilities. You have successfully completed an undergraduate programme, a post graduate programme and the SAICA Initial Test of Competence. You owe it to yourself to absorb the trauma and then pick yourself up and plan for your success in the APC in 2021, which is within reach.

- If you have a **valid Certificate of Completion for a Professional Programme** dated 2019 or 2020, you are still, under current regulations, eligible to write the 2021 APC without further study. However, we believe that a repeating candidate should follow a structured approach in self-development to pass in 2021. Our statistics for prior year’s repeat candidates clearly indicate that those candidates who participated successfully in our Repeat Programme had far better success rates in the APC when compared to candidates who did not attempt a Programme or who attempted our Programme but failed the Programme. To optimise your chance of success in the 2021 APC, you should register for our 2021 Repeat Programme as detailed below.
- Sadly if your most recent Certificate of Completion is dated 2018, the validity of your **Professional Programme Completion has expired** and you would have to complete and Pass a full Professional Programme before being allowed to write the APC again.
- Registration for our 2021 Programme is open on apcprogramme.co.za

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Our 2021 Repeat Programme

Before registering for the Programme you should contact SAICA and request a copy of your 2020 APC Script. You can do this immediately.

Our programmes are supported by a large team of passionate staff members who are highly skilled at presenting and providing feedback to candidates on a regular basis. We believe in our product. We believe in innovation and have continuously improved our programme since the inception of the APC. We will continue to do so and are committed to being the professional programme provider of choice.



Focus Points

- Separate Programme with an innovative focus only on Repeat Candidates
- Detailed feedback on APC 2020
- Online webinars (including guided marking sessions)
- Interactive workshops (face to face)
- Mental coaching, including individual support with help of experienced APT Mentors
- Value creation through problem solving techniques
- Technical refresher
- Time management
- E-writing

The Provisional Outline is on the Following Page

Cost: R7 100 ex VAT

Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M Wormald', on a light-colored rectangular background.

**Michael Wormald (Chair)
On behalf of the APT team.**

Course outline

Month	Assessment	Self Reflection	Classes
May		Self-reflection on APC 2021 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify weaknesses Plan improvement strategies to implement 	Webinar Class on each task in APC 2020
Jun			Webinar Class on each task in APC 2020 Focused Feedback Session (Week 2) Technical workshops (Week 4) Submission of self-reflection and development plan to APT for mentorship
Jul	31 Jul	Self-reflection on technical workshops	Technical workshop (Week 1-3) Join Class 6 on the main program
Aug		Write self- assessment (with formal APT marking)	Time Management Class & Ewriting workshop Join Class 7 & 8 on the main program
Sep	8 Sep	Write Self-assessment (with formal APT marking)	Feedback class on Assessment Supplementary intervention class
Oct		Write Self-assessment	Exam Readiness Classes (Week 3-4)
Nov		Self-reflection in preparation of APC 2021	Exam Readiness Classes (Week 1)

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